

# RIC INSIDER



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The internal newsletter created by and intended for members of Team RIC.

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## Remembering 9/11

Today we pause and remember the September 11, 2001 attacks on their 24<sup>th</sup> anniversary, reflecting on the lives lost and the heroes who responded with courage in the face of tragedy.

In the aviation industry, today's impact runs especially deep. Airports became the frontline—places of resilience and unity. On 9/11, we honor not only the victims and first responders but also our colleagues in aviation who stood strong amid uncertainty.

Let this be a time of reflection and continued commitment to safety, service, and the spirit of togetherness that has carried us forward. Never forget.



## Breast Cancer Awareness Walk

by Sunnie Fisher, RIC Management Intern, Capital Region Airport Commission

Mark your calendars! Join Team RIC for the annual Breast Cancer Awareness walk on Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, at 9:00 a.m. at Monroe Park. All of Team RIC, along with friends and family, are welcome to join. For more information, contact Sunnie Fisher at (804) 226-3061. Donations toward our team's goal are greatly appreciated! [Register and donate here.](#)

## LINK Microtransit

Did you know that GRTC's curb-to-curb microtransit service, LINK, is available for rides to RIC? Travelers within GRTC's [Sandston Zone](#) can request a ride to the airport via LINK or a ride between any two points within a designated zone (further connections outside the zone are often available by bus).

[Learn more about LINK Microtransit here.](#)



## Give the Gift of Life

RIC is proud to partner with Delta Air Lines and the American Red Cross for an airport blood drive on October 27, 2025, from 10:00 a.m.-2:45 p.m. in the South Ticketing Conference Room.

Richmond's giving has been trending up: **RIC just had the third highest percentage increase of power red units collected at an airport year over year.** Let's keep the momentum going!

Walk-ins are welcome but appointments are encouraged. Schedule your appointment today at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) and enter the sponsor code **DeltaRIC**.

**NEW ALL-TIME RECORD – AGAIN!**

July 2025



**467,101**

+6.4%



20.9 million lbs.

+10.8%



9,968

+18.4%

## A New Nonstop You're SHORE to Love!

On Friday, September 5, we celebrated the launch of a brand-new nonstop: RIC to West Palm Beach (PBI) with Breeze Airways! Breeze's 15<sup>th</sup> nonstop from RIC provides twice-weekly flights to PBI from Virginia's Capital Region.

Refreshments, including churros and orange juice, were provided to passengers of the inaugural flight. To celebrate the plane's departure, ARFF provided a water arch, properly sending off this new Floridian route.

Take a trip to this luxurious destination on the Sunshine State's Atlantic coast and soak in the sun, sophistication, and serenity. [Book your flight today!](#)



## ARRIVALS

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### 5<sup>th</sup> Annual P.O.W.E.R. Forum

Save the date: this year's P.O.W.E.R. Forum is happening on November 21! The event will take place at the Greater Richmond Convention Center and reflect on the forum's evolution over the years and its role in shaping regional economic development.

[Learn more and RSVP here.](#)

## Itinerary: Important Dates

September 19-November 2

September 20-21

September 22

September 26-October 5

October 10-12

October 18

October 27

November 15

November 21

[Halloween Haunt at Kings Dominion](#)

[Iron Blossom Music Festival](#)

[First Day of Fall](#)

[State Fair of Virginia](#)

[Richmond Folk Festival](#)

[Breast Cancer Walk](#)

[Blood Drive - Delta & the American Red Cross](#)

[Allianz Richmond Marathon](#)

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